

2016 Key Data Points



The rate of suicide was

1.8 *times higher among female Veterans*

compared with non-Veteran adult women.

** after accounting for differences in age*



The rate of suicide was

1.4 *times higher among male Veterans*

compared with non-Veteran adult men.

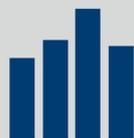
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Male Veterans ages

18–34

experienced the highest rates of suicide.



Male Veterans ages

55 and older

had the highest count of suicide.

69% *of all Veteran suicide deaths resulted from a firearm injury.*